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The Honorable Dewey Short  
House of Representatives  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Dewey:

Attached hereto is a copy of a letter I have sent to Chairman Vinson, relative to our building problem, which I believe is self-explanatory. I have sent this letter because I felt that the developments described were sufficiently important to justify a special explanation prior to consideration of the appropriation request which has been made under our current authorization.

I have discussed this matter with Senator Russell, Senator Hayden and Chairman Cannon, all of whom are sympathetic to our problem. Although pending Congressional action relates to the appropriation request within the existing authorization, I did want to advise Chairman Vinson and you of the problem which may compel us to seek an additional authorization in the future.


If you would like to have further information on this matter, I would be more than happy to furnish it to you.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,



Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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